

LATE NEWS IN BRIEF.

In a blizzard at Preburg, Hungary, nine persons lost their lives.
Edward Kimball, who was severely injured in the Francis A. Company fire, Buffalo, Pa., died at an early hour yesterday morning.
The United States cruiser Chicago, At- lanta, Yorktown and Boston, started on their cruise from Boston at 10 o'clock yesterday morning.
Casper Clapp, a confirmed opium eater, of St. Louis, shot his sweetheart, her sister and father because the latter had prohibited his visits. He then committed suicide.
At Hillsboro, Ill., Harry Franklin, a West- ern desperado, who one night recently was scolded and attempted to rob Mayor Wilson, has been sentenced to 34 years in the penitentiary.
The British bark Monarch, Captain Mor- row, which sailed from Hamburg October 1, for Sydney, has been burned at sea. Sixteen of the crew were saved. A boat containing six others is missing.
R. P. Halliday, late cashier of the First Na- tional Bank, at Mt. Pleasant, O., pleaded guilty yesterday, and was sentenced to the Ohio peni- tentiary for seven years.
It is the intention of the Austrian Govern- ment to pass stringent laws with reference to emigration. Agents who are found guilty of fraudulent representations will be liable to a sentence of five years' penal servitude.
Yesterday's bond offerings were as follows: Coupon 4s, \$11,800; registered 4s, \$60,000 at 127; registered 4s, \$75,000 at 104 1/2. The \$80,000 reg- istered 4s are surrendered to a national bank depository. All the offers were accepted.
A large body of masked men from the country came into Christchurch, Va., Friday night on the 11 o'clock train to Lynch two men named Cooper, held for murder. The authori- ties were warned in advance and Judge Jock- les summoned a posse and carried the pris- oners away and hid them.
A case is on trial in the District Court of Kansas which perhaps is without a parallel in the history of American politics. A Republi- can who was nominated as a delegate to a county convention was the party by whose evidence before the County Judge Creditable he was awarded for \$2,000 damages, including expenses and the narrowing condition usually accom- panying an unsuccessful candidate.
Claus Spreckels' big refinery at Front and Reed streets, Philadelphia, is about finished and will start business in a few days. The machinery was to have been started yesterday, but some portions of it have not been tested, and the refining cannot begin until every part of the complicated apparatus is ready. Three ship loads of raw sugar are at the refinery's pier, and two more consignments are on their way to this port. The machine shop is in operation, and the coopers shops are ready for the men to begin work.
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